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#### Banks.

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG

1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their hours of 9 a.m. and 1 p.m., to premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.- Interest at the rate of 33 per cent. per

annum will be allowed to depositors on

their daily balances. with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and begin-

6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savinos' Bank Business is forwarded tree

longkong and China-7. - Withdrawals may be made on demand, General Agents have this day declared an and the production of his Pass-Pook on the paid up Capital of the Company, are necessary.

> HONGRONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, January 1, 1889.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAT BANKING CORPORATION.

RESERVE FUND,.....\$4,300,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- 37,500,000 PRIETORS.....

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-W. H. FORBES, Esq. Deputy Chairman—B. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. W. G. Brodie, Esq. | S. C. Michaelsen T. E. DAVIES, Esq. J. F. HOLLIDAY, Esq. J. S. MORES, Esq. Hon. J. J. KESWICK. L. POESNECKER, Esq. Hon. B. LAYTON. N. A. Siebs, Esq.

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Chief Manager. Hongkong, May 20, 1889.

#### Intimations.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

PPLICATIONS are INVITED for the POST of SECRETARY to the above Company. Apply by LETTER to the OFFICE of the Company. Hongkong, August 2, 1889.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Half Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 26th Instant, at Three p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and a Statement of Account to 30th June, 1889.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 12th to 26th August, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

DAVID GILLIES. Scoretary. Hongkong, August 8, 1889,



Intimations.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG,

Regular MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREE-MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on FRI-DAY, the 16th Instant, at 8,30 for 9 p.m., precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are

ordially invited Hongkong, August 10, 1889.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. THE KWOON KWAN YEEN. CHALLENGE CUPS.

SECOND STAGE.

HE First COMPETITION for the 2ND STAGE, will take place NEXT SATUR-DAY, 17th Instant, at 3.15 p.m., under the Conditions already notified The Entrance Foe for this Stage, i.e. 30 Cents (if not already paid for), must be sent to me before 5 p.m. on Friday, 16th

> A. SHELTON HOOPER, · Hon. Secretary. c/o Hongkong Club.

Hongkong, August 10, 1889.

TAILORS WANTED.

WANTED, at once, 50 GOOD WORKMEN. Apply between the JAMES THOMSON.

Scrucant Master Tailor. 1st Arg. and Suth. Hds., Murray Barracks. Hongkong, August 9, 1889.

THE HALL & HOLTZ CO OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

DRAWING OF DEBENTURES.

NIOTICE is hereby given that ONE HUNDRED DEBENTURES in the above Company will be DRAWN for at the Head Office, SHANGHAI, on TUESDAY, the b.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis 20th day of August, 1889, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forencon. W. HAYWARD.

Secretary. Shanghai, 5th August, 1889.

NOTICE. THE CHINA SUGAR REFINING

COMPANY, LIMITED. by the various British Post Offices in IN Accordance with the Provision of No. 121 of the Articles of Association, the but the personal attendance of the INTERIM DIVIDEND of TEN PER CENT. depositor or his duly appointed agent, for the half year ending 30th June, 1889,

> DIVIDEND WARRANTS payable at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COR-FORATION on the 26th Instant will be ISSUED to Shareholders on the Register on the 24th August.

> The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 10th to 24th Instant. both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, August 3, 1889.

THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

THE CERTIFICATE of 50 SHARES in this Company, Numbered 1298/1317, 2941/5, 10221, 7556, 2705/2717, 11310, 2437/2445, standing in the Register in the Name of Dr. A. S. Gomes having been LOST, Notice is hereby given that a NEW CERTIFICATE for the said 50 SHARES will be Issued fourteen days hence, and that the Original Certificate, upless produced within that period, will thereafter be held by the Company as null and void.

DAVID GILLIES. Secretary.

Hongkong, August 5, 1889.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General MEETING of the Company will be held at the Company's COMPLETED for the OFFICE of the Company OFFICE, No. 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 20th August, 1889, at 3 o'Clock p.m., the Objects obtained upon Application to the Comprasubmit for Confirmation the Special Resolutions passed at the Meeting held This

By Order of the Board, T. ARNOLD.

Hongkong, August 3, 1889.

THE DAIBY FARM COMPANY, LIMITED.

NYOTICE is hereby given that 4,000 THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING IN SHARES (New Issue) of \$10 EACH the above Company are offered to the PUBLIC by TENDER upon the following Conditions :- 1 The Company shall not be bound to ac-

cept any Tender unless such Tender be more than \$10 per share. All Tenders to be made on forms to be obtained from the Company, to be accompanied by Cheque and to be forwarded in accordance with the instructions contained in the said Forms on or before the TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF AUGUST, 1889. The Tenders will be opened on the following day in the presence of Two Directors.

If a Tender be not accepted the amount of Cheque accompanying such Tender will D respectfully informed that, if upon Payments to be made as follows: 92 per the Company's FOREMEN should be at share on tender, \$3, plus the premium, per share on receiving Notice of Allotment, and the remaining \$5 one month after allotment.

The Transfer BOOKS will be OLOSED from the 14th to the 21st of August, inclu-By Order of the Directors.

E. W. MAITLAND, Secretary.

1553 Deted the 8th day of August, 1889.

Business Notices.



TTAVE the pleasure to inform the Community of Hongkong and neighbouring Port that they have made arrangements in FOOCHOW for a SUPPLY of their MIX TURE of the CHOICEST NEW TEAS.

CUMSHAW MIXTURE.

which in the course of many years, has acquired a deservedly high reputation, as evidenced by the large demand for use here, the appreciation shewn by friends at home to whom it has been sent, and the numerous orders received for it from Old Hongkong Residents in the Colonies and elsewhere.

Messrs, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. undertake to deliver this acceptable PRESENT to FRIENDS in the United Kingdom, free of any charge on the home side, at Per ... ... \$12,00. Per... ... ... 5-Catty Box ... ... ... ... \$ 7.50.

Orders are solicited for this Choice Tea, which will be forwarded by First Steamer, on receipt of instructions. Hongkong, August 1, 1889.

#### Victoria Motel, Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

Till's Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

1565 The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manuer, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains liandsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIAND

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Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE. Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

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PREPARATORY TO RECEIVING OUR AUTUMN GOODS. TATE are offering a Selection of LIGHT WEIGHT COATINGS, in all Shades. SUMMER SUITINGS and TROUSERINGS, at very much Reduced Prices. SUITS, from... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... COATS. " ... ... ... ... ... ...

Queen's Road (opposite Honokong Hotel). Hongkong, July 10, 18-9

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EX STEAMSHIP GLENEAGLES.

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W. POWELL & Co. Victoria Exchange, August 9, 1889

Intimations.

LIMITED.

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T NOTICE.

Public Arrangements are Now Public. ARRANGEMENTS are NOW to remain Open until Midnight and dur-

ing SUNDAYS, where LAUNCHES can be DORE who is in Charge LAUNCHES always kept under Steam off Pedder's Wharf, and are at the Service of the Public for proceeding to and from any Vessel in Harbour.

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Small Large Small Large Small Large Launches, Launches, Launches, For 1st hour ... 83 For 2nd hour \$2 83 For every subsequent >\$1 82 83

Rates for Picnic, Shooting, Bathing, PRIVATE PARTIES, Towing VESSELS and CARGO BOATS, for EXCURSIONS to MACAO;

A. G. GORDON. Secretary. Hongkong, July 17, 1889. NOTIOE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK JOHN WALTER, Esq., Manager of COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention. In the Event of Complaints being found

necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES.

Secretary.

intimations.

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J. S. PURDON, Esq. (Chairman), Mesers. MAITLAND & Co. R. HEARN, Esq., of Messrs. ALYRED DENT & Co. E. J. HOGG. Esc.

HONGRONG & S'HAI BANKING CORP.

LIVINGSTON & Co. Bankers. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

A. G. WOOD, Eaq., of Messrs. GIBB,

T OANS made on MORTGAGE on LAND, BUILDINGS, &c PROPERTIES BOUGHT and SOLD: ESTATES managed and all kinds of LAND AGENCY and COMMISSION BUSINESS conducted. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

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Business Notices.

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Their Style and Workmanship is too well-known for special mention.

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Hongkong, August 3, 1889.

CORPORATION.

Accounts to 30th June, 1889. By Order of the Court of Directors, G. E. NOBLE,

Hongkong, August 1, 1889. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 10th to SATURDAY, the 24th day of August (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares

Hougkong, August 1, 1889. No. 73, WYNDHAM STREET. DOARD AND RESIDENCE COMPORTABLE HOME

MRS. KJELLER, Proprietress. Hongkong, July 15, 1889

LIMITED.

Board of Directors: Hon. J. J. KESWICK. Managing

VICE CHAIRMAN. E A. SOLOMON, Esq. J. S. MOSES, Esq. S. C. MICHAELSEN, Eso. G. E. NOBLE, Esq. LEE SING, Esq. POON PONG, Esq.

BANKING CORPORATION.

on LAND or BUILDINGS; PROPERTIES PURCHASED AND SOLD

and Commission Business relating to Land, &c., conducted.

Full Particulars can be obtained at the

Company's Offices, No. 5, Queen's Road

Secretary. Victoria Buildings. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1889. TONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM

WEEK DAYS. 8 to 10 a.m. every quarter of an honr. 12 n 2 p.m. n half hour. 4 n 8 n n quarter of an hour.

SUNDAYS. an hour.

cation to the SUPERINTENDENT.

Single Tickets are sold in the Cars: Five-Cent Coupons and REDUCED TICKETS at the MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.. Universal Managers,

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Hongkong, August 7, 1888.

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IMATES Submitted for Interior and Exterior Painting and Special Decorations in any Style, Free.

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Company, Limited.

Intimations.

TOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 24th day of August current, at 12 o'Clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

Chief Manager.

can be registered. By Order of the Court of Directors, G. E. NOBLE. Chief Manager.

FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN. MODERATE TERMS.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL,.....\$5,000,000 PAID-U. CAPITAL ..... 2,500,000 RESERVE FUND,..... 1,250, 00

CHAIRMAN. Directors. and Conditions of Sale, apply to Hon. C. P. CHATER,

Bankers: THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI

TONEY ADVANCED On MORTGAGE.

Estates managed, and all kinds of Agency

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NIGHT TRAMS at 10.30 and 11 p.m. 10,40 a.m.; 12 to 1.30 p.m. every quarter of 4 to 8 p.m. every quarter of an hour. 9, 10, 10,30 and H p.m.

Special CARS may be obtained on appli-

THURSDAYS.

Hongkong, May 1, 1889:

DESIDENTS in the Colony would In materially aid the SENATE of the COLLEGE by forwarding to the ALIGE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

JAMES CANTLIE, Hon. Sec. to the College. Auctions.

PUBLIC AUOTION

VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Soll by Public Auction, on TUESDAY,

the 20th August, 1889, at 3 p.m.,

on the Spot. -ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND, Registered in the LAND OF. FICE as INLAND LOT No. 428, with 13 Substantial THREE-STORIED HOUSES nowly erected thereon, and measuring North 115' 23" on Inland Lot No. 429, South 114' 8" on Cross Street, East 99 feet on Sui Kai Lane, and W st 99 feet

on Albany Street. Total Area 11,378

square feet, and Annual Crown Rent, \$174. ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND, Registered in the LAND OFFICE as INLAND LOT No. 429, with 14 Substantial THREE-STORIED HOUSEs newly crrected thereon, and measuring North 115'10" on Marine Lot No. 116. South 115' 2\frac{3}{4}" on Inland Lot No. 428; East 108 feet on Sui Kai Lane, and West 108 feet on Albany Street. Total Area 12,477 square feet, and Annual Crown Rent

ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND, Registered in the LAND OFFICE as MARINE LOT No. 116, with 13 P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Substantial THREE-STORIED HOUSES newlyerrected thereon, and measuring North 116' 5" on Praya East, South 116' 10" on Inland Lot No. 429, East 101 feet on Sui Kai Lane, and West 99 feet on Albany Street. Total Area 11,512 square feet, and Annual Crown Rent \$190.

term of 999 years. The above Lots will be subdivided into 40 Lots, which will first of all, be put up. and afterwards, if necessary, each of the said Lots No. 116, No. 428 and No. 429, or the remaining portions thereof, will be put up as a whole.

For further Particulars of the Property

The above Lots are held from the Crown

for the Remaining Portion of the unexpired

ARTHUR B. RODYK. Solicitor for the Vewlor. C. F. HAYLLAR Architect.

Daddell Street.

G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, August 9, 18:9. Notices to Consignees.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. ITHE Steamship Japan having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being lauded at their risk into the Honokong and Kowloon Wharf and GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns, at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained.

Consignees are hereby informed, that all Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 13th Instant Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Cargo remaining undelivered after the

15th Instant will be subject to rent. No

Fire Insurance has been effected.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, August 9, 1889. FROM SOURABAYA, SAMARANG, BATAVIA AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Goalpara, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hona-KONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the

14th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 21st Instant, otherwise tony at Noon. will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, August 7, 1889.

insurances. QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the show Company, are prepared to ACCEP RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. NORTON & CA. Agenta,

PANY.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. IXIE Have This Day admitted Mr. VV SEE EWE SIEW a PARTNER in our Firm, and our Business will in future be Styled EWE BOON, EWE SIEW & Co., CHOP KIM HIN HONG and KIM

HIN CHUN. EWE BOON & Co. Amoy, 18th July, 1889.

N O T I C E.

MR. THOMAS EDMUND D. VIES is admitted a PARTNER in our Firm from this date. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

NOTICE. HAVE This Day Established myself at this Port under the Name and Style of PUSTAU & Co. as MERCHANT & COM-MISSION AGENT.

Hongkong, July 1, 1889.

under the same Name in Canton. THEO. PUSTAU. Hongkong, August 1, 1889.

I have also Opened a Branch House

NOTIOE. 11HE PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between us, under the Style of MORRIS & RAY, has This Day been diesolved by

Mutual Consent.

E. C. RAY. Hongkong, 31st July, 1889. XX/ITH Reference to the above, Mr. E. C. VV RAY will continue Business as SHARE, SHIP & GENERAL BROKER. Mr. GEORGE HENDERSON WATT has been admitted a Partner and the Business

will be conducted in future under the Style or Firm of RAY & WATT. E. C. RAY. GEO. H. WATT.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

Superintendent.

A. G. MORRIS.

Shipping.

Hongkong, 31st July, 1889.

Steamers. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKT AND KOBE.

Steamship
Verona
will leave for the above places on WEDNESDAY, 14th August, at Daylight, instead of as previously advertised. E. L. WOODIN.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Steamship Japan. Captain T. S. GARDNER, will be despatched for.

Hongkong, August 9, 1889.

14th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Hongkong, August 9, 1889.

the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the

FOR SHANGHAI'VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship Captain Gurners, will be despatched as above

on WEDNESDAY, the 14th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to a contract BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

THE GIBB LINE OF STEAMERS.

Hongkong, August 7, 1889.

FOR QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, via FOOCHOW. (Taking through Cargo for ADELAIDE, TASMANIA and NEW ZEALAND.) The Departure of the

Steamship

Managers.

This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First Class Passengers For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, August 10, 1889.

Capt. Scotland, for the

above Ports is POSTPONED until further.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG. ( Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER: DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.)

The Steamship Captain P. Möller, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 19th Inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hougkong, August 10; 1889.

Sailing Vessels The 3/3 L.1.1. American Barque The 3/3 L. I. I. American Barque,

Richard P. Soons,

THORNDIEE, M. Ster, will lead

here for the boye Port, and

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, July 25, 1889,

will have quick despatch.

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TO LET. THE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 2 DOUGLAH VILLAH-Possession from 1st May.

Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, March 30, 1889.

TO LET.

TIWO ROOMS in a House on the CAINE ROAD LEVEL, in a highly respectable locality. FURNIBUED OF UNFURNISHED. Immediate Possession.

'A. B C., China Mail Office. Hongkong, March 30, 1889.

TOOMS in 'College CHAMBERS.' No. 9. SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. 4. SEYMOUR TERRACE, from lat June. WESTBOURNE VILLAS, NORTH, Water and Gas laid on, Garden and Tennis-

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At MAGAZINE GAP, "TUSCULUM." A very Comfortable and very Cool 5-ROOMED HOUSE, with TENNIS COURT, &c.-From 1st September.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, July 8, 1889.

TO LET. O-STORIED HOUSES, Nos. 37 & 43, WANCHAI. Rents moderate.

Apply to YEE HING, No. 5. Wanchai. Hongkong, July 16, 1889.

TO LET. OND FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 64, and CROUND FLOOR of HOUSE No. 65, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Apply to LAI HING & Co., No. 153, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, July 1, 1889.

(With Immediate Possession.)

TO LET.

NO. 4. QUEEN'S GARDENS. 890 and taxes. Apply to G. C. ANDERSON.

13, Praya Central. Hongkong, May 21, 1889. TO LET.

TTOUSE No. 2, 'SMITH'S VILLAS,' Magazine Gap, a spacious Five-ROOMED HOUSE, with Basement and Outhouse. Excellent view. Expected to be ready lat August next. Apply to

F. BLACKHEAD & Co. Hongkong, July 2, 1889.

> Intimations. DENTISTRY.

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Discount to missionaries and families. · Sole Address 2. DUDDELL STREET (Next to the New Oriental Bank.)

Hongkong, January 12, 1885. THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING

COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE is hereby given that the CALL

of \$15 (FIFTERN DOLLARS) a SHARE, due prior to the 28th February last, is now being made, and SHAREHOLDERS are requested to pay to the Hongkong & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPO., on or before

the 16th day of August next, the amount due from them. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, July 15, 1889.

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GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, July 15, 1889. SAILOR'S HOME.

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For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50a, Queen's Road Central. O. D. HARMAN,

Agent. Hongkong, August 10, 1889. NOTICE.

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London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-Septed in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted trl

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G. DE CHAMPKAUX, Hougkong, August 2, 1889

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Al either the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt centracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong-Hurbour:-

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W. F. Thorndike. - Wieler & Co. SATSUMA, British barque, Captain A. G. Swensan.—Eduard Schellhass & Co. VELOCITY, British barque, Captain R. Martin.—Pustau & Co.

To-day's Advertisements. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP | HOLD, KARBERG & Co.

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. The Co.'s Steamship. Capt. G. Tayler, will be despatched for the above Diamante. ort on THURSDAY, the 15th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., General Managers.

Hangkong, August 12, 1889. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI.

The Co. a Steamship Nestor. Captain Elden, will be lespatched as above on SATURDAY, the 17th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, August 12, 1889.

#### To-day's Advertisements.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Co.'s Steamship Captain Pocook, will be despatched for the above

Ports TO-MORROW, the 13th Instant, at Diamond, for Amoy. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, August 12, 1889. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Stewnship Diomed. Capt. BARTLETT, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 21st Instant. Passengers for EUROPE desiring to proceed Overland, can, on application to the Undersigned, have their Tickets endersed for surrender at Algiers in exchange for

Coupon Tickets to MARSEILLES (by Transatlantic Company's express boats), and thence to Paris or London. Algiers is 28 hours steam from Marsellles, and thence to London occupies about the same time. For Freight or Passage, apply to

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Hongkong, August 9, 1889.

BHIPPING ARRIVALS. August 10, 1889 :--

Clara, German steamer, 674, C. Christensen, Haiphong August 7, General. -A. R. Diamond, British str., 1,030, J. T. Wilson, Penang August 3, and Singapore 5, General.

August 11:--Benarty, British steamer, 1,111, Le Boutillier. Kobe August 4, Coal and General.-GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Soochow, British steamer, 327, T. Rowin,

Pakhoi August 8, and Hoihow 9, General. -Kwong Tai Loong. Chow Fa. British steamer, 1,050, F. W. Phillips, Bangkok August 5, General.-YUEN FAT HONG.

Activ, Danish steamer, 355, N. C. Revsbeck, Pakhoi August 9, General-ARN-Haitan, British steamer, 1,183, T. G.

Pocock, Foochow August 8, Amoy 9, and Swatow 10, General. - Douolas Stramship August 12

Nizam, British steamer, 1,615, J. F. HK and hims as Co L Creery, Bombay July 25, and Singapore August b. General. -P. & O. S. N. Co. Diamante, British steamer, 514, G. Taylor, Manila August 10, General.—Russell Green Island Centent Co., Li.

Nierstein, German steamer, from Wham-Anton, German steamer, 396, T. Eggerte, Pakhoi August 9, and Hoihow 11, General.

-Wielen & Co. Pollux, German ateamer, 898, H. Hellmers, Hambury and Udessa May 19, General. - SIEMSEEN & Co. Rellerophon, British steamer, 1,356, W. E. Guthrie, Liverpool and Singapore Au. 6. General.—Butterfield & Swire.

CLEARED. Soochow, for Holhow and Pakhol. Actio, for Holhow and Pakhoi. 1870 Palishan, for Swiftow.

DEPARTURES. August 11 :-Yehain, for Whampoa. Amou, for Whampos. Goalpara, for Amoy.

Johann, for Hollow and Pakhol. Menmint for Foodhow. Hailoong, for Coast Ports. Bushiki Marıs, for Kutchinotzu. August 12:

Phu Quoc, for Haiphong. Yangieze, for Shanghai. PANSENGERS.

ropean, and 76 Chinese.

Per Diamond, from Penang, 521 Chineso, 12 women, and 7 oh ldren, (2 deaths from dysentry and opium.)

Per Sechow, from Pakhoi, 95 Chinese. Per Chow-fa, from Bungkok, 130 Ohinese. Per tctiv, from Pakhoi, 165 Chinese. Per Haitan, from Foochow, His Excellency Tseng and servant, and 77 Chinese. Per Nizam, from Singapore, 105 Chinese. Per Diamante, from Manila, Mesers H. Gaell, F. Madoto, 3 Spanish Priests, 1 Eu-

Per Anton, from Pakhoi, 3 Europeans, and 31 Chinese. Per Pollius, from Hamburg, Mr and Mrs Raspopoffandservant, and Mr Rulakowitch. Per Bellerophon, from Singapore, 108

Per Johann, for Hollow, 50 Chinese. Per Hailoung, for Swatow, 100 Chinese. Per Diamond, for Amoy, 430 Chinese. To DEPART. Per Soochow, for Hollow, 50 Chinese

Per detiv, for Heihow, 30 Chinese.

Per Goalpara, for Amoy, 100 Chinese.

Per Pakshan, for Swatow, 100 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS The British steamer Diamond reports :

Weather fine, winds Northerly, and clear weather. The British steamer Chow Fa reports : Had squally weather with rain to Cape Padaran; thence to port, light airs and fine

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Hongkong Electric Co., Limited .... 30.00 \$

Foochow, steamers Alwine Soyd, Hackin and Taiyuan. Steamers in Amoy, Chowchowfoo, Vohannes Brun and Taichiow, In Swatow, strs. Thales, Tameri and Meejoo. The British steamer Nixam reports Light winds and find weather throughout, with occasional showers of rain. On 11th instant, at 10 a.m., spoke British corvette Constance, bound South, lat. 20° 3' and long. 114° East. The British steamer Diamante reports :

Had light to moderate winds, and fine The British ateamer Bellerophon reports Had fine weather throughout.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

Por Haitan, at 9,30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 13th inst. For SAIGON .-

Per Nierstein, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 13th inst. For AMOY, YOKOHAMA & SAN FRAN-

CISCO.— Per City of Rio de Janeiro, Registration at 11.15 a.m., Letters 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 13th inst., instead of as previously notified.

For KOBE & YOKOHAMA .-Per Nantes Le Herre, at 2.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 13th inst, For NAGASAKL KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Verona, at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the 13th just., instead of as proviously

notified. For STRAITS & CALOUTTA .-Per Japa, at 11.30 a.m., on Wedi the 14th inst.

For SAIGON .-Per Ashington, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 15th inst.

For SINGAPORE.-Per Electra, at 11.30 a.m., on Monday, the 19th inst.

PEAK DELIVERY. Letters, &c., will be delivered by the 12 and 4 o'clock Trams The Danish steamer Activ reports: Had only. Correspondence for the Peak may light winds from E.N.E., fine weather, be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. or 3.30 p.m., or in the Letter The British steamer Haitan reports : Boxes in the Cars till time of departure. Garden Road, Victoria, Hongkong, oppo- From Foochow to Amoy, had light variable Parcels for the Peak may be posted site the Albany, and known as 'HARPER- winds, and fine clear weather, sea smooth. in the General Post Office only up to VILLE,' and comprising Inland Lot Amoy to Swatow, light Westerly winds and 11,30 a m. or 3.30 p.m. Local Rates will No. 1213, and Section C of Inland Lot calms, sea very smooth. Swatow to port, be charged. No Sunday delivery. Senders latter part moderate and fine weather. In writing the word Stamped across them.

#### Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination	Vessels.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
Bremen, v. Singapore. London, v. Suez Uanal Manila, via Amoy Marsedles, v. Saigon New York Queensland Ports, &c. S. Francisco, v. Japan S. Francisco, v. Japan Shanghai, via Amoy S'pore, Penang & O'tta S'pore, Bavra& H'burg S'tow, Amoy & F'chow Vancouver (B.C.). &c. Y'hama, v. N'ki& Kobé Y'hama, Kobé & N'saki	Diomed (8)	Norddeutscher Lloyd. Butterfield & Swire Russell & Co	August 21. Aug. 15, at 5 p.m. August 15, at noon. Quick despatch. Quick despatch. August 13, at noon. Aug. 22, at 1 p.m. August 14. August 14, at noon. August 19, at noon. Aug. 13, at 10 a.m. August 15, at noon. Aug. 14, daylight.

#### AUGUST 12, 1889 SHARE LIST. -QUOTATIONS.

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China Fire Lusurance Co., Ld	20,00	8	100	. —	\$86, sellers
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MEMOS FOR TO MORROW Shipping.

10 a.m. - Haitan leaves for Coast Ports. Noon, -P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco.

General Memoranda. WEDNESDAY, August 14:-

Goods per Goalpara undelivered after this date subject to rent. Transfer Books of The Dairy Farm Co. Ld closed from this date to 21st Instant, inclusive. HURSDAY, August 15 :--Goods per freussen undelivered after this

Goods per Japan undelivered after this date subject to rent FRIDAY, August 16:-9 p.n. - Meeting of Perseverance Lodge.

date subject to rent.

SATURDAY, August 17 :--3.15 p.ni.—Competition of the H.K. Rifle Association. Tuesday, August 20 :— 3 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of the

H.K., O. & M. Steamboat Co., Ltd., at No. 1x, Bank Buildings, Queon's Road Central. 3 p.m. -Auction of Valuable Leasehold Property. SATURDAY, August 24:-

Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of The poration at the City Hall. MONDAY, August 26 :-3 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co.,

Ltd., at No. 14, Praya Central. 5 p.m. - Auction of Valuable Leasehold Residential Property.

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per the publication of this issue commenced

at 7.20 p.m. The China Mail.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 1889.

A DISPATCH from Lord Knutsford with reference to a School for Modern Oriental Studies, established by the Imperial Institute, in union with University College and King's College, London, is published in just Saturday's Gozette. The classes which the School comprises are divided under two heads Division I includes classes for all oriental languages rapecially required by students qualifying for examination for the Indian Civil Service, the instruction being of the same character as that provided for some time past at University College and at King's College. Division II which is the only really new part of the scheme, consists mainly of clustes for Modern Oriental Languages other than the Indian languages. The course of fultion will be of a practical rather than of an academic character, with particular reference to commercial and official requirements and to the facilitation

of colleguial intercourse with natives of Oriental countries. As soon as the number of students warrants the expenditure native readers and teachers of conversation are to be engaged. The languages to be taught comprise Modern Greek, Colloquial Arabic, Persian, Russian, Turkish, Chinese, Burmose, Japanese, Malay, and Swaheli, for mearly all of which professors of lecturers have been appointed. In setting forth the advantages of the step taken by the Imperial Institute, the Secretary, Sir F. A. Abel, refers to the School of Living Oriental Languages in France, founded nearly 100 years ago, and to the Imperial Oriental Academy of Vienna, which has long enjoyed world-wide celebrity. But however famous these schools may be as centres of learning, it is very doubtful if they have done much to promote the commercial prosperity of Brance or Austria, Austria has an important Levantine trade, but further East, in India, China and Japan, her position is a very inferior one; and although France has a Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor- larger trade with Asia the expansion of that trade in recent years has been nothing in comparison to that of England. Another school is mentioned in the despatchthe Imperial German School of Living Oriental Languages, which was established siderable development. What commercial there has not yet been time to ascertain. We doubt very much if they will be so im-

year ago and has already received conbenefits will accrue from this institution portant as the founders anticipated. It is undoubtedly a matter of prime importance that merchants dealing with foreign countries should know something of the commercial geography of the places they deal with—something of the history of the peoples, their products, resources, tastes, &c ; and it would be a great gain if young scholars destined for a commercial career, instead of wasting years in learning a smattering of the dead languages of Rome and Greece, were thoroughly grounded in commercial history and geography. The advisability of making them polyglots is, however, a different question. A knowledge of modern Greek, value to commercial travellers pushing a business in Eastern Europe, although we imagine that in most cases the traveller finds it more safe and convenient to address himself to the English houses established in these parts through whose agency the goods are distributed to the consumers. As to the advantages that, it is supposed, will accrue from the teaching of colloquial Chinese and Japanese we can speak more definitely. To merchants in England, it goes without saying, such knowledge would be utterly useless; and we doubt very much if any merchant in the Far East, in choosing s clerk or assistant in England, would give much weight to the knowledge of a Ohinese dialect acquired in such a school as is started under the wing of the Imperial Institute. We are safe to say that there is not a single large house in the Colony, English or German, that attaches any importance to a knowledge of collequial Cantonese. The business with the Chinese is done through the compradors and would have to be done through him although every member of the house spoke all the dialects of China. It might be an advantage to trade if this middleman could be ed with the stengthening qualities of the done away with, but until the great gap that exists between Eastern and Western customs has been closed up, this means of Port, it is an invaluable summer tonic and communication will remain indispensable. We fear therefore that the classes for the study of Chinese (which dialect is to be taught, or whether instruction in all the

## TELEGRAMS.

dialects is to be given, is not said) and

Japanese to be started under the wing of

the Imperial Institute will be of little

practical good-will be of less practical use

to commercial men than the Institute it-

self has hitherto proved. In the despatch

mention is made of special lectures or

courses of lectures that may be given, in

connection with the school, on the

history, literature, commercial and physical

geography, political economy and the

natural and industrial resources of the

countries and districts in which the various

languages to be taught are used. If the

committee could only be brought to give

more importance to this side object and less

to the teaching of 101 dialects that no mer-

chant would ever think of learning, they

would do far more good to British com-

London, Dib August -- Intense heat is reported in Central Asia, At Bokhara there have been 700 deaths in three days. LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SURE CANAL.

OUTWARD BOUND :- Taichiong, June 25

Khrenfels, 28; Millfield, July 5; Riversdale, 9; Ella, 16; Ningchow, Hector, 23; Cyclops, Glenfinkes, 26; Titum, Aug., 2; Glengyle, Caledonien, 6 : Cardiganshire, Pembrokeshire, Herangate, 9

MEWARD BOUND :- Guy Mannering, July

12 Mogul, Florida, 16 Cambodia, Port

Adelaide Port Juckson, 26; Monmouthabire, Putroclus, Lennox, Au ust 2 . Aberdeen, 6 ; Kaisow, Polyhymnia, O. & C. S. E. Co.'s steamer Goelic,

with the AMERICAN MAIL of July 10, left Yokohama on Wednesday, the 7th inst, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 13th inst.

### (Bram Singapore papers.) GREAT HEAT IN CENTRAL ASIA.

of July 12th, left Saigon on Sun day, the 11th instant, at 1 a.m. and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 13th inst. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on June 1.

The Canadian Pacific Co.'s s. s. Abyssinia. Kebe and Hongkong on Sunday, the 11th inst. The Causdian Pacific S. Co.'s s. s. Batovia

The Union Line s. s. Northern, from Antwerp and Hamburg, left Singapore on the 9th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 10th inst. The D. D. R. s. s. Hesperia left Singapore

on the 9th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 16th inst. The O. S. S. Co. a s. s. Nestor, from Liverpool, left Singapore on 9th inst. and may be expected here on or about

The P. & U. Co.'s extra steamship Shanghai, from London, left Singapore for this port on 12th inst., at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on or about the 18th inut.

A GUN lascar at Lyemun Battery was killed on Saturday by falling down a stone stair up which he was carrying a bucket of

THE Agent of the M. M. Co. informs us that the s. s. Iraonaddy, with the incom-(Sunday) at 1 s.m.

Ir is notified in the Gazette that Dr. F. S. Toogood, assistant surgeon in the Government Civil Hospital, reported his arrival in the colony on the 28th ultime.

MESSES Butterfield & Swire, inform us that the O. S. S. Co. s steamer Nestor. from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 9th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 15th inst.

MESSES Adamson, Bell & Co. inform us that the Canadian Pacific Steamship Batavia left Vancouver for Yokohama on Friday afternoon. The Abyssinia arrived at Yokohama big typhoon of 1874 is always possible. yesterday and leaves to-day for Kobe and Hongkong.

THE Honam took a large crowd of excurionists to Macao yesterday to spend the day in the 'Holy City' and visit the fancy fair in the evening. The Ho am left Macao at midnight and reached Hongkong about half-past two this morning.

Owing to an error in a telegram despatched from Singapore, it was intimated that the from London, left Singapore on the 5th inst. The vessel left the latter port at o p.m. to-day for Hongkong.

THE Victoria Recreation Club's aquatic sports will take place at the Club Bathhouse on Friday and Saturday next. The programmes for both days contain seventeen events. The sports commence each afternoon at four o'clock.

THE Band of the A. & S. Highlanders will play the following programme at the Officers' Mess to-morrow avening (Tuesday), com- although they are, are by no means of such mencing at 8.20 p.m.:-

March..... Heroique ......... Schubert. Valse...... Goutes de Rosée ... Waldteufel. Selection Reminiscences of Godfrey. Verdi '... Cornet solo' Mona' .....Adams. Selection Doris

THE stamp revenue for last month amount- means of communication with this side of ed to \$22,278, being an increase of \$5,481 | the harbour. A great deal of money is on the revenue collected in the correspond. spent on the Observatory, and when one ing month of last year. The principal looks at the result in the long tables increase was in share transfers, which giving the amount of sunshine for every amounted to \$5,456, as against \$721 in day of the year &c. &c., one is apt some July last year. This big increase is actimes to think that the money might counted for mainly by the large amount be somewhat more profitably invested. of transfers necessitated by the new scrip Whether this be so or not, the Government for Punjoms, and the increase of capital ought, at any rate, seeing that it does put by Watson & Co., Steamboat Company, the Colony to the expense of keeping up

THE statutory general meeting of Messre A. G. Gordon and Co. Limited was held this afternoon. There were present: cut it off from immediate communication Measrs A. G. Gordon (Chairman), J. W. with those to whom the information is of Noble, A. Simpson, A. Duer and W. Tay- the greatest importance. We hope the lor. The Chairman said the Company was letter from the Chamber of Commerce registered on 13th April and all the shares will not be pigeon-holed, but will lead had been taken up. The stock was taken the Government to devise some means over at a valuation of \$54,000 and the of improving the system of warnings. amount payable for goodwill had been re- The Colony pays a great deal for the purduced from \$22,500 to \$5,500. The work- pose of getting these warnings, and it is jecture may be hazarded the best that has ing for the past six months had been annoying to find that they are bottled up satisfactory, and it was proposed to make an in Kowloon or at the Harbour Office, while from year to year, but certain it is that if interim payment of dividend of \$1 per valuable lives and property are at stake. share which would be posted in a day or two. This concluded the meeting.

Five men were brought before Mr Wodehouse in the Police Court to-day on a charge hours after leaving that port. The typhoon of keeping a public gambling-house at Nos. 309 and 311 Queen's Road Central. The has on board a cargo of 3,600 tons of tea place is called a Club and is largely and a large quantity of silk. The Pekin patronised, but among its patrons recently also had a taste of the typhoon the day after leaving Hongkong and fine weather from then to port. described as 'members,' and through their agency the police were able to obtain a conviction for public gambling. The place Times of 3rd inst., that some few days ago was visited last night by Inspector Quin- Detective Inspector Richards, acting on the cey, Sergeant McDonald and a number of instructions contained in a telegram from constables. A game of fantan was violently the arrival of the s. a. Port Victor arrested interrupted and an exciting south took a passenger named Edmund Henry Taylor walace before the head-men were arrested. Three of the five brought before the magis- the detect ve station. It was subsequently trate were sentenged to six months' and discovered that he had to be released, but one to three months' hard labour, the fifth being bound over in two sureties of \$20 nowhere to be found. As a consequence each to be of good behaviour for three months.\*\*

voyage from Philadelphia to Kobe.

The s.s. Iranwaldy, with the France Mail The Committee of the Chamber of Com. The harbour presents a very animated ap. A PRIVATE telegram was received in Penang merce have returned to the charge in the matter of the fees of special jurymen, Their contentions are so manifestly fair and the des not, of course, include the small coast- gister, and is commanded by Captain (Haikin Yamen) is fixed at 20 years, before position of the Government is so absurd that we fain hope they will soon carry their from Vancouver, left Yokohama for point. The Government recognises that in a small community like this men who are frequently called to act as arbitrators in the disputes of their follow-residents are enloft Vancouver for Yokohama on 9th titled to some remuneration. And if they are entitled to be paid at all, they ought to receive a sum proportionate as far as possible to the amount of time bestowed in the consideration of a case. If any merchant were to try to hire labourers on the system of paying as much for three days as is paid for one, he would find no hands to help

The Government has no more right to expect three days' work for one day's wage than the merchant has. A ca e which is so important as to occupy three or four days is generally one in which the parties interested are well able to pay the full fees, which, after all, would amount to very little in comparison with the other expenses. This is eminently a matter in which the voice of the community ought to have weight with the Government. If the residents declars they are willing to pay ing French mail, left Saigon yesterday fairly the arbiters of their disputes, the Government ought at once to amend the Lhassa, -Pioneer, law so as to make the allowance to jurors so much per diem and not per case.

Ar this season of the year, the minds of residents and more especially of those who do business in the great waters naturally turn to 'typhoons.' During August and and September scarcely a week passes without some disturbance in the China Sea, and the danger always exists of the centre of the disturbance approaching uncomfortably near Hongkong. During the last dozen years or so, no storm of great magnitude has swept over us, but a repetition of the And now that our commerce has grown extensively and the value of our shipping has been largely increased, it is more than ever imperative that during the typhoon season, the most expeditions means should be found of communicating whatever information is to hand about approaching storms. The Spanish Consul used to send direct to the press the telegrams he received from Manila, and these messages were published at once in the papers or in the shipping extras. This year, however, no messages P. & O. Company's extra steamer Shanghai, have been received by the press from that quarter. On one or two occasions recently typhoons were approaching the Colony, and the only intimation given was a notice posted in the Harbour Master's Office. where it would be seen by but a very few of those interested. We have got an Observatory, and we are willing to admit that the director thereof may be as skilled in meteorology as any in this quarter of the world. The Kowloon observatory, however, is outside the usual tract of typhcons, and the indications given there, valuable centre of these storms. But even Dr Doberck's messages are not circulated with anything like promptitude. The Doctor has been at war with the Government for ever so long about increased this establishment, to see that the most benefit possible is obtained therefrom. It

> THE S. S. Ching Wo, which arrived in Singapore on the 2nd inst. from Hongkong. experienced a heavy typhoon about six is said to have behaved admirably. She

Ir will be remembered, says the Straits the Government of New South Wales, on on a charge of defrauding a bank at Sydne New South Wales. The man was taken to to be kept under surveillance. This was accordingly done, and now Taylor is Detective Sorgeant Strachan has been reduced to be a police constable, and Detective Sergeant Willis is to be tried before a magistrate for gross neglect of duty. The CAPTAIN J. G. Foote, of the British barque case for the prosecution was heard to-day, H. B. tonn, was fined £15 by the Acting and the evidence given exposes the beauti-Consul and Judge, Mr.J. H. Longford, at | fully systematic working of the police de-Robe on the 25th ult for not serving out partment. The further hearing will be on lime juice to three of his crew on his recent | Tuesday next, at 2 o'clock, bail being allowed in the sum of \$50.

The stock of coal new in the sheds at Tanjong Pagar amounts to about 88.000 tone, and both at the P. & O. wharves and New Harlour there are large stocks.

Mn Hart is still interviewing the Amdan at Rinchagong, but the Heathen Chinee does not apparently show any incipiont signs of common sonse. It would really seem that the question of alleged Chinese rights over Sikkim, which has been the outcome of the aggressive action of the Lhassa launes, will settle itself by effluxion of time. The Indian Government have firmly refused to recognise the existence of these shadowy rights; the Amdan has utterly failed to prove them : the lamas have sulkily held aloof Mr. Hart has not solved the problem by any flash of diplomatic genius; and things remain in state que. As the Tibetans slow no wish to renew warlike operations, our troops remain quietly among the clouds at Gnatong, their presence proving that further interference with Sikkim will not be tolerated. The position, as a whole, is not altogether a satisfactory one; but for this the nglish Foreign Office are in a measure responsible, as they do not seem to have mad e nuch progressin their direct negotiation s with the Pekin Government. Perhaps another shuffle of the diplomatic cards and China may smilingly say that she has no concern with Sikkim, and will really make up her mind to coeres the unruly priests of

THE Singapore Free Press of 3rd inst. contains the following paragraphs :-

Miss Minna Fischer and Mr Clutsam. both favourably known here as memberss of Miss Sherwin's Company, proceed by today's mail for England. We believe Miss Fischer intends to spend some time at Frankfort in further musical study under Herr Stockhausen, the great German baritone, who has also numbered Miss Sherwin

herself among his pupils. .... We are sure that many of the lovers of music who have attended the various performances given in Singapore, Hongkong, Shanghai and elsewhere during Miss Shorwin's concert tour will be pleased to hear arrival in England several of his composi- in Shipping, of early notice of the movetions which have met everywhere with so ments of such destructive visitants. warm a reception. Especially are we pleasthat Mr Clutsam has not limited himself as give instructions that all information reacha composer to the construction of merely ing any of the Departments be at once fugitive pieces. He has already in M.S. made public. some excellent work framed chiefly on perhaps song writing. In the field of cham-Violin. Viola and Cello. We cordially ation. wish Mr Clutsam every success in his career !

THE Bombay Gazette says :- As the opening of the Karun to commerce and the visit o the Shah to Europe has caused special at tention to be attracted towards Persia, may be once more pointed out that, so far as that country is concerned. India is not India pays £10,000 per annum for the maintenance of the British Legation at Teheran, and we observe in the 'Home accounts of the Indian Government? recently published as a Parliamentary importance as information from Manila, Paper, that the bills drawn by the mission which is so close to the great generating to the Persian Court in respect of advances made on Indian account' amounted to the comparatively large sum of £63,114. an increase over the sum for the preceding twelve months of £14,114. In- Hongkong General Chamber of Commerces. dia pays the piper, but she is permitted to call for the tune. Not only is the head of the mission a British claim that the British Minister to the Court | in this Colony. of the Shah should be an Indian official, is nection not only between England and would refer to the enormous disparity in seems absurd to establish an observatory and, for the sake of a very small economy, urging the claims of India to fairer treat the other it is a positive burden.

THE Times to hand by the German mail describes an opening of the Wimbledon meeting on the 8th July. Some of the long range 'Any Rifle' brought out fine shooting. Says the Times: -Conspicuously eminent from the mass of fine acores stands that of Captain Lamb, the best ever made under similar conditions on Wimbledon Common, and, if a conever been made since the rifle was invented. One expects match-rifle shooting to improve it is to improve at this rate some of the extraordinarily long ranges at Bisley will

have to be brought into use. Captain Lamb, now of the 40th (1st South Lancashire), formerly of the 52nd L.I., won his laurels in India as Champion for many years of the North India Rifle lasted about six hours, but the Ching Wo Association. The following is the score made by this famous rifle shot in the match Auxiliaries veraus Regulars:

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This (says the London New York Herald) is the best score ve' made at Wimbledon or anywhere else, conditions being considered. It has been often besten in America, Major Herman having made 224 out of 225 at Walnut Hill, near Boston. He also made a succession of seven scores, the lowest of which was 217. But in this shooting gun-cleaning was permitted between each two shots, whereas at Wimbledon the contestant has only the privilege of blowing out his gun.

Herald reporter, and stated that he had Free Press. used a Sharp-Medford rifle with 80 grains of No. 6 powder and a 5.70 bullet. He caded his own cartridges, using ordinary ball with paper. He is a tall, aquarebuilt man, with a bristling red moustache, and sharp blue eyes. He has been matchshooting for nipe years, and won the cham lonship of England nine years in

The Herald should have said 'India'

pearance just now, says the Singapore Free stating that the N. I. Stenmer Compta is Press of 3rd inst., there being no fewer than ashore on the rocks note Gunong Sctoli. seventeen sailing vessels at anchor. The The Compta is a steamer of 1,290 tons reing craft. At the Borneo Wharf steamers Lammer. She was bound for Padang via which time they may not retire unless they are lying double banked this morning and | coast ports with a full cargo from Penang | have become physically incapacitated for coal steamers are continually arriving. and Singapore, and left Penang on the duty. Any officer below the rank of t'i tuh morning of the 23rd ultimo. informed that the greater part of her cargo [ (Second Captain) wounded in action, so. is uninsured. Assistance has been sent to to be unfit for further service, or after the Compta. - I'enang Gozette.

> Belitaki, sent a post-card to a friend in Europe of which the following is a transla-

Bangkok, 7th December 1888. Here everything is wild and uncivilized. the women go about half naked. All vices flourish here: a paradise for problematic existences. What a contrast to the highly must wear short uniforms so as to be ready civilized nations of China and Japan where | for exertion at all times; long robes are I have lately been. Siam is a genuine forbidden on heard. Wallachian country. It is the wildest country I have ever seen in my travels.

The Siamese authorities took umbrage at this description of their country and threw fung, ship salary, or in all Tls. 700 a the writer into prison. Through the intercession of the British Consul he was reand now threatens to appeal through the Turkish Consul at Batavis for

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE CORRESPONDENCE. TYPHOON WARNINGS.

us for publication :--Hongkong General Chamber o Commerce.

The following letters have been sent

. 9th August, 1889 The Hon. F. Stewart, LLD., Colonial Secretary.

SIR, -I am directed by the Committee of this Chamber to ask you to be good enough to bring to the notice of His Excellency the Governor, for his favourable consideration, the desirability of the earliest publication of all available information regarding the probable course of Typhoons forming anywhere in the neighbour-

hood, or at greater distances The pressing necessity for full and prompt publication of information bearing on the family in short, lock their doors and come probable movements of Typhoons must out. I do not know what all the bustle is already be so apparent to His Excellency that it seems entirely unnecessary on the part of my Committee to adduce any arguments whatever with the view of more elegantly dressed and shod. Fathers and who has acted throughout so capably as deeply impressing upon him the vital imaccompanist, is about to publish on his portance, to a Community largely interested

My Committee are aware that it has been ed to think that the graceful and original customary in the past to give some pub-"Mazurka-Caprice," always safe for an ligity to such information, but so far as they encor-, is to be rescued from the hazardous know it has not been attempted systemexistence which depends solely upon its atically, and they now venture to suggest author's memory. It is pleasant to know that His Excellency will be good enough to

I am further instructed to state that, classical models, and his strong point is should His Excellency see fit to com- and polanti (brandy). Red wine (claret) is municate such information to the Chamber, distilled from grapes, and it is to be had ber music he has also adventured, and we the Committee would gladly undertake to everywhere. Compared with other liquors shall be glad to hear of the first production distribute it, if such an arrangement would it is cheap. There is besides the pare of his Piano Quartet. written for Piano, in any way facilitate its prompt public- (port) wine, made of sheep's blood. This

My Committee beg me to suggest that, should it meet with the approval of the Government, the Chamber will gladly circulate the intelligence, by 'Express,' or otherwise, at their expense, on receipt of the actual transcript of telegrams or other information directly it reaches my hands. The near approach of the Typhoon season makes the present time peculiarly drinking. quite fairly treated. As is well known appropriate to bring to the notice of His of not only ship owners, but also the favourable reception. - I have the honour number of men and women, and after they to be, Sir, your obedient servant,

F. HENDERSON, Secretary.

PRES TO SPECIAL JURORS

Sir,-The Committee direct me to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 6th diplomat appointed by Downing Street, but June, in which they regret to learn that the Home Service. There may be excellent first referred the matter to His Excellency, reasons why Persia should be included in | the Government do not see their way to accede | tanslien (' dancing'). the sphere of the Secretary of State for to the request of the Committee. No rea-Foreign Affairs, but it is hardly fair that the | sons are given, but a reference to India, as to whole of the expense should be saddled on the practice operating in that dependency, India. At any rate, if we cannot rightly is stated to confirm the system prevailing

The Committee do not consider it too much to ask that one at lea t of the analogy of Indian Chalon has anything to influential subordinates of the Queen's re. | do with the question here. Apart from presentative should be in touch with this other considerations that may be urged country? The present time when the con- against such a contention, the Committee Porsia but between England's eastern de- nnothers of the class from which special pendencies and the dominions of Nasir-ud- jurors are drawn in India compared with Din seems to be becoming more closely Hongkong. In one place the tax on the comented than ever is not unfavourable for commercial community is light, while in

> pale of the Government to refuse. It is not in the nature of a public tax in which had, in fact, been betrayed into an amthe Government might rightly be heard, but rather has the character of a voluntary arrangement between the public themselves who seek to adjust the inequalities of the numbers, and ultimately, after a terrible Special Jury fees. If the proposed payment to special incore, at per diem, instead of per case, formed an obstacle to litigants the Government would have some ground in public interests for refusing the application. But as the proposition is based on the strictest equity—it is not a hindrance to Suitors and it increased incidence is always commensurate with the portance of the issues to be decided—the Committee would again urge a reconsideration of the question, and the passing of a short bill to permit the change which unanim, usly desired by the Special Jurors, and is not, it appears, opposed by the rest of the community whose voice would certainly have been raised ere this against the proposition had they felt impending hardship from the change. - I have the honour to be. Sir. your obedient corvant F. HENDERSON, Becretary.

The Househla F. Stewart, LL D., Calonial Secretary,

A STAND for the write—the inkstand.-Terre Haute & coress. Undertranke should be happy as the berry secure approaches - Wushington

A Hise at 1220 p. mr. He-Why that generally? Brightly-Why, of couse he is menacing motion with the fan, Sweetlips ? You made me start. She-That been taking lately in the foreign missions? Captain Lamb was interviewed by a is just what I wanted to do .- Burlington

> 'I Owe a frightful lot of money I don't maintained for years by charitable acquainsee how on earth I can ever pay, don't you borrow enough to settle with your poorhouse, fell heir last week to \$30,000. preditors and then start clear, - Harper's Old ladies received on subscription at this

Dr. Physick-Your blood appears to be a little out of order, madame. I will send one of the Four Hundred !- Town Topics.

NOTES FROM NATIVE PAPERS. The term of service for all officers under the Chinese Admiralty 准 里 衙 門 We are (General) and above that of show-pe years' service receiving any injury incapacitating him from holding command. receives a compassionate allowance of one Tunkish gentleman, named Robert year's pay and travelling expenses home. Lieutenants (ts ien-tsung) and Sergeauts (patsung) receive the same when mounded becoming incapacitated by injuries after 20. years' service. The relatives of privates or seamen killed in action receive for each Tls. 8. if officers two months' pay.

officers except the doctor and paymaster.

A tituh (Admiral, or General) receives The 3.360 salary per annum as kwan fung. official salary, and Tis. 5,040 as Chiwanmonth. A taung-ping, (Brigade General) receives Tls. 1,584 annually under the first head, and Tla. 2 376 under the second, or Tls. 330 a month. A futisiana (Colonel. or Hich-t'ui) gets Tis. 1,296 kwan fung, and Tls. 1.944 chiwan fung. or Tls. 270 a month. A tsan-tsiang, (or Lieut. Colonel) reta Tls. 1.058 and Tls. 1.584 respectively, which comes to Tls. 220 a month. A yuki (Major) Tls. 960 and Tls. 1,440 or Tls. 200 a month. A /u-sze (First Gaptain) draws every year Tls. 624 and Tls. 936 respectively, or Tls. 130 a month. A show-pei (Second Captain) Tis. 384 and 576, or Tis, 80 a month. A taien-tsung, (lieutenant) Tis. 288 and 432, or Tis. 60 month. A pastsung (Sergeant) draws Tls. 192 and 288, or Tis. 40 a month. A waiwei (Second Sergeant) Tls. 96 and 144, or Tls. 20 a month. - From the Hu Pao.

THE WEST THROUGH CHINES SPECTACLES. (Continuation).

In the streets momen will pass to and fro side by side, from morning till evening. Husband, wife, and children, the whole

Wealthy people every day at 4 o'clock get into a carriage and take an outing. sons pass by laughing and chatting, in a stream of carriages and a procession of horses. When their pleasure has been thoroughly gratified they disperse.

In their museums are preserved all the flying, swimming, running or growing products of the age, as grasses, woods, bamboos, stones, jewels, antiques. Everything is forthcoming, so that people are enabled to examine things at their leisure, and research is facilitated.

Spirituous liquors are of many sorts. Those usually drunk are known as red wine, p'i (beer), siang ping (champagne)

champagne, and brandy are very dear. Men and women are seated together indiscriminately round the same dish and at the same table. Even a man and his daughter-in-law, a woman and her brotherin-law do not avoid each other's company Two guests, strangers to one another, are not allowed to engage in conversation, but must address themselves to eating and

Besides invitations to dinner-there are invitations to tea-gatherings, such as are occasionally given by wealthy merchants entire community, and my Committee or distinguished officials. When the time trust their suggestions may meet with a comes, invitations are sent to an equa are all assembled, tea and augar; milk bread, and the like, are set out as aids to conversation. More particularly are there invitations to skip and posture, when the host decides what man is to be the partner of what woman, and what woman of what man. Then with both arms grasping each other they leave the table in pairs, and leap, skip, posture, and prance, for their mutual gratification. A man and a woman all the members of the Legation belong to after a considerable lapse of time since they previously unknown to one another may take part in it. They call this skipping

> HEAVY FIGHTING IN ACHEEN. The N. I. steamer Kongsee, which arrived in Penang from Acheen on the 1st inst., brought news of a sanguinary battle between the Dutch and Achinese. The Achinese have been very bold for some time past, and recently erected, a sort of fort near the Dutch Kota Pohama, the garrison of which they harassed grea ly by their fire. The garrison applied for assistance, and three battalions, numbering altogether 1800 men, were despatched from Kota Rajah. They left at night with native guides. Early on the following The Committee would most strongly urge morning, the 26th ultimo, they discovered that their application is almost without the that they were surrounded by Achinese, who attacked them from all sides. They

bush. It was not yet daylight, and a fearful scene of confusion ensued. The Dutch fought desperately against overwhelming struggle drove the Achinese back, attacked their fort, and took it. Such are all the particulars of the fight, we have received. On the Datch side three officers, Captain Vau Geusow of the staff, Lieut. Hagerman of the Engineers, and Lieut. Veerman of the Infantry, and 20 non-commissioned officers and soldiers, were killed during the battle : and three officers, Lieut. liera, Schmidt auf Altenstadt, and Lieut. Tromp, and 92 non-commissioned officers and men, wounded. Of the last, 25 are reported to have since died, and it is also stated that two other officers. Lieut. Kist and Lieut. Vlier, are badly wounded. The Achinese managed to carry off the most of their killed and wounded, only 21 dead and 20 wounded having been found by the Dutch. The search for bodies was continued by the Dutch till nearly midnight. It is impossible to state with any definiteness the number of Achinese engaged, but the Dutch estimate them at 5,000 .- Pinang Gazette.

We grow wise as we grow older, but it is by forgetting what we thought we knew .--

Sunday-school teacher and a religious man Haven't you noticed the interest he has An old lady in Vermont who had been

. Why tances, but was about to be taken to the office. - Oil City Blizzard

O, you the golden age of letters l' said the comic editor. The past contains all; you something which will purify it. Mrs. | the present nothing, the future no promise, presume l'-Harper's Bazar.

BANGKOK.

3rd August 1889. The impudence of Bangkok thieves knows no bounds. We hear that on Thursday between 4 and 5 p.m. last weet the residence of Capt. Ames, the Chief Inspec tor of Police, was entered by some of the thieving fraternity and a large amount of ewellery and valuable curios taken away. The articles included a gold watch, with the Danish Crown and the mark F. VII on its face ; a Deciration order of the Crown of Siam : a gold Jubileo medal of Queen Victoria; &c. &c. The value of the whole s estimated at 800 ticals. We hear also that the house of Mr Solomon, another Inspector, was entered the same evening and a lamp and some articles of cluthing

A series of small innovations in the work

ing regulations of the Customs has been

going on for some months past exciting

more or less friction among shippers and

merchants generally. This culminated at

the beginning of this week in a dispute

which threatened at one time to bring all

business to a standstill at the Custom

House. Several of the leading Chinese

merchants in Bangkok wished to pass some

goods through the Custom House, including garlie, and various other articles of Chinese consumption. The value on which they proposed that the 3 per cent duty should be levied, seemed tho small to the Quetom House Authorities, who put down the value of the goods at a considerably higher rate The Chinese refused to pay this and said they would rather pay in kind and it was at this point that a curious discrepancy was discovered in the Customs regulations. It has been the custom hitherto we understand, that goods in kind are brought to the Custom House, but reference being ande to the Treaties it was found that no particular place is mentioned to which goods are to be brought. It was implied that regulations were afterwards to be drawn up and submitted to the various Consuls in which that and other minor points were to be finally arranged. No such regulations have been made and consequently importers are at present in a position to make the Custom House Authorities incur the trouble and expense of transhipping goods to the Custom House. The Chinese, who were backet up by some Europeans, took advantage of this anomaly and refused to bring up the goods from Mesers. Windsor Ruse & Co.'swharf, where they were lying. The Custom House people on their side refused to grant the usual permit, and thus affairs were brought to a deadlock. Recourse was now had to the British Consul, and the Chinese were advised to abandon their position of refusing to deliver the goods at the Custom House, and to elect to pay in money as originally proposed. Mr da Costa, in the unfortunate absence of Mr Williams, was then requested to allow a deposit in the joint names of the Custome and the merchants to be made at the Hone kong and Shanghai Bank, pass the goods, and settle differences afterwards. It was impressed upon him that by every hour's delay, serious losses were incurred by the shippers, but this gentleman, although nominally head of the Customs in Mr Williams' absence, would do nothing on his own responsibility, but kept referring to Phys Pat. The proposal of a joint deposit was rejected after some more delay and it was then pointed out to the Customs Authorities, that if no agreement could be made as to the value of the goods, a court of arbitration must be held according to the Treaty. This court is composed of the Consul and a proper Siamese officer who shall each have power to call as assessors an equal number of merchants not exceeding two on each side. The Custom House Authorities were evidently very reluctant to proceed to this last extremity, and have their claims settled by a Court, which from its composition, was not likely to be very favourable towards them. The result of the affair was that the Customs yielded, and accepted the invoice value of the goodsthe value on which the Chinese had at first proposed that the 3 per cent should be levied .- Siam Mercantile Gazette.

> LATE NEWS: (From London papers of 9th July.)

Mr James Lowther, who came in like lion with March, has gone out like a very lumb; the proceedings at the Jockey Club on Saturday were most disappointing, and disappointing because of the extraordinary speech of James Lowther, who, after drawing up an award which led every one to conclude that Sir George Chetwynd was a cheat, has now accepted his resignation in a valedictory harangue, the iunuendo of which is that Sir George Chotwynd is a

Mr. Henry Irving intends, it is said, to revive 'Macbeth' on the earliest possible occasion. The play in fact, was withdrawn in the full tide of success, and would probably have been again performed in the autumn had not the centenary of the French Revolution been considered a specially appropriate year for the production of 'The Dead Heart. This play, writes the London correspondent of the Manchester Guardian. has been in preparation for some time, and the rehearsals had begun before the end of the Lyceum season. The text has been thoroughly revised, and the same carefu attention to accuracy in scenery, costumes. and spectacular effect which have distinguished Mr. Irving's most brilliant Shaksperean revivals is being devoted to the mounting of 'The Doad Heart.' There will be a fine stage picture of the Bastille in the second act, and in the course of the play the picturesque architecture of Old Paris will be fuithfully presented in several effective sets. At one time it was almost decided that W Miss Ellen Terry would not appear in 'The Dond Heart, but it is now finally arranged N that the revival will have the advantage of her support; she will play Catherine Daval. It has already been announced that Mr 11 Irving himself will be the Robert Lindry. and that Mr Bancroft will return to the stage and take the part of the Abbe Latour. Mr Righton will be the cowardly bully Tounet-the character which Mr Toole w played whom 'The Dead Heart' was first 'r' performed at the Adelphi. Among the other actors will be Miss Kate Philips, Mr | 3 Arthur Stirling, Mr Tyers, and other 1 favouriles. -Vienna, July 8 .- The largest sum ever

won in an Austrian lottery has fallen to a resident in Vienna, whose name is not yet M known, but who claims to have won 480.00 fl., about \$38,000, in a State luttery drawn in Temesvar on Saturday. The fortunate gambler invested in what is called DULLARD-Isn't president Harrison a the Small Loto, an institution which keeps open office in every town, and is very popular with the lower classes. The nav merely consists in backing a number, or sekreutzers, or 5d. may be staked. The and hundredths. described as an elegantly-dressed young Fabrenheit man of about 30, risked from 1,500ff to 2.0 Off. in backing five numbers and ten different combinations of those num. bers, his stake on each single number being 10fi. He stood to win or lose all on the chance of all his figures turning up in the order chosen by him. It happened tha all his combinations were drawn, and he Murray Hill (indiguantly)-Purify my Abil re, lied Cynicus. And that is why became entitled to win 48,000ff, on each of blood, sir ! Are you not aware that I am you print only sixteenth century jests, I his ten rows of five figures. As the tickets a dow (wet) were Lought in Vienus, the Government I Rays, in inches, tanthe and hundredther

will have to pay the money, although the ottery was drawn in Hungary. The largest. ium ever paid bafore for a single win in the Small Lato has been 90,000ff., and the amount of the present win has, of course. rindered it impossible for the latery offices in Vienna to cash the tickets on presentation, as is generally done. The money will have to be obtained in a special credit. from the Minister of Finance. The event has, of course, occasioned great excitement in Vienna, and is not likely to diminish the

popular fancy for lottery movements. The Metropolitan Michael is taking-measures to replenish the Servian monasteries with Russian monks. Great difficulty has been experienced of late years in recruiting the Servian monastic orders, insomuch that two monasteries have recently been closed. The reason of this is that religious ardour has been on the wane since the Turks have left the country, and since the Church has consequently coased to be the rallying centre of Christian opposition to Musualman rule. By introducing Russian friers into the Servian monasteries Archbishop Michael no doubt hopes to stimulate the Panalavist propaganda throughout the land, but his efforts in this direction will not give much pleasure to the Radicals, however much they may delight the Russophil

Liberals. Vienna. July 7. — The Emperor of Austria vill go to Borlin on the 11th of August to pay his visit to the German Emperor. Count Kalnoky will accompany him. Him Injesty will attend the three sets of army manouvres to be held this year in Galicia. Bohemia and Hungary.

Paris, July 7 .- The law against Wilsonism' was promulgated yesterday. It renders liable to from one to five years' imprisonment any person accepting money for obtaining decorations, appointments, or other State favours.

Miss Reeder - You should read Dr. Weir U. Mitchell's last story—the scene is laid. in the lumber regions. Dr. Schmerz-Ah. I see—in the small-of-the-back-woods, you mean.—Puck.

OUR Minister to England receives only \$17,500 a year, and must find himself." Ministers to Mexico have before now been appointed who could not find themselves. New Orleans Picanune.

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